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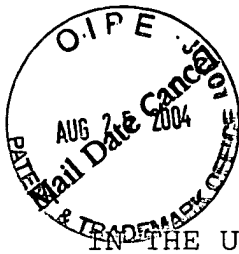
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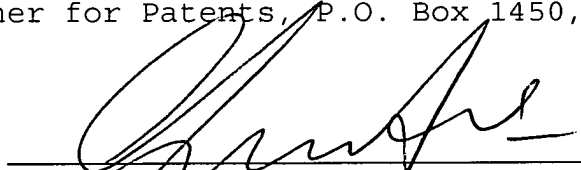
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Sir:

This is in response to the June 21, 2004 Notice to File Missing Parts (hereinafter "Notice") in the above-identified application.

Applicants encloses herewith:

1. A copy of the June 21, 2004 Notice to File Missing Parts;
2. A copy of each of two (2) partially executed Declarations and Powers of Attorney; and
3. A check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the surcharge.

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